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1. A glass and porcelain factory is located in the northeastern end of Beloslav (formerly Gabedzha), to the east of Beloslav Lake. The factory is five meters north of the canal which connects Beloslav Lake with Varna Lake. (See Appendix, page 2.)
  2. The factory consists of one large building and four smaller buildings. Four ovens for cooling the glass and one oven for baking porcelain are located in the larger building. The three (sic) small buildings are used for administrative purposes.
  3. Approximately 40 persons are employed by the factory in administrative and technical capacities. The labor force consists of approximately 300 workers, three-fourths of whom are skilled.
- wagon loads of Soviet sodium and local gypsum arrive at the factory each day. A small part of the output is stocked, but the greatest amount is shipped to various parts of Bulgaria; three or four carloads of glass and porcelain leave the factory almost every day.

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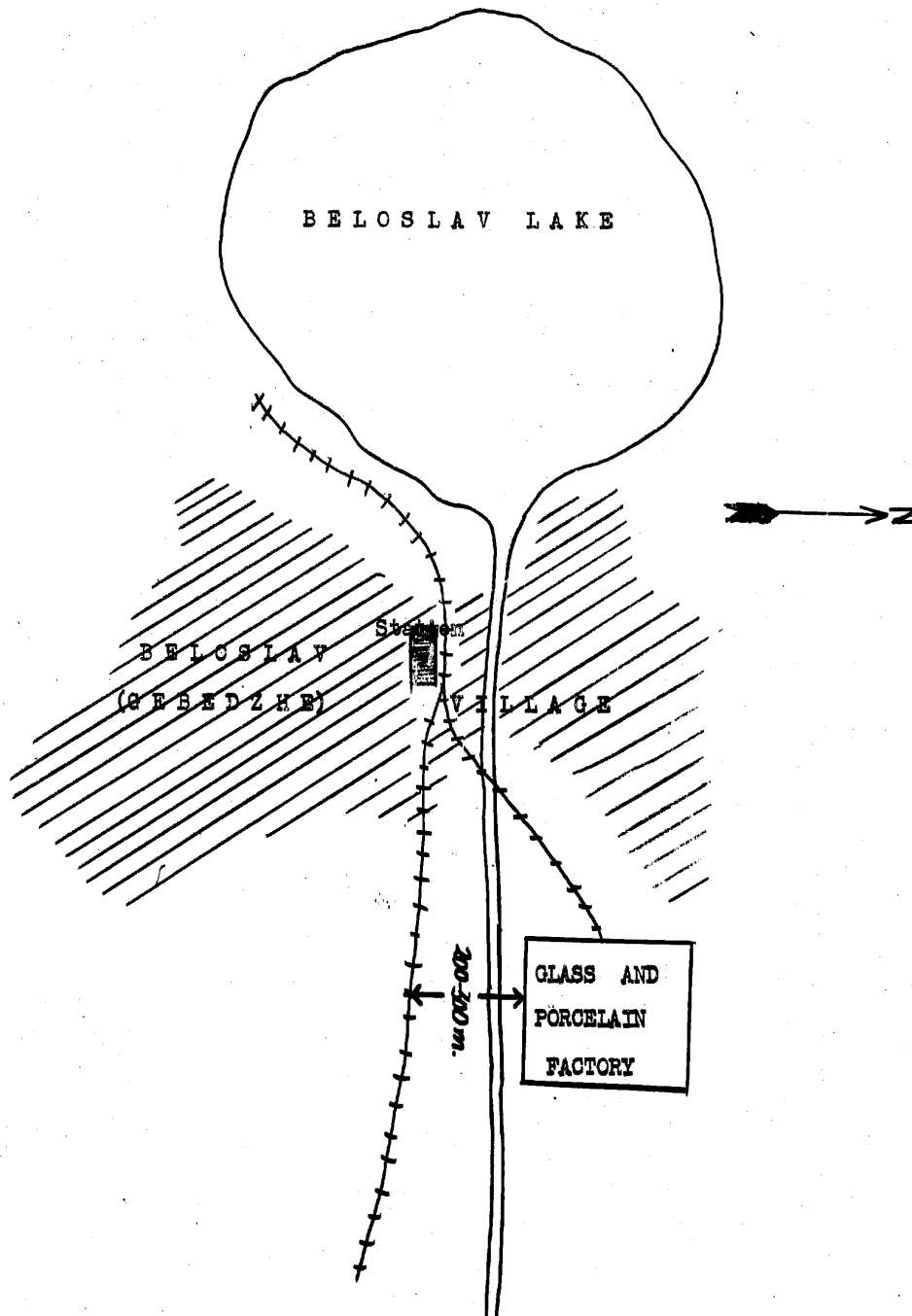
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4. The factory is guarded by 10 Militia men. A civilian checks the passes of persons entering and leaving the factory and a member of the Militia makes a body check of each employee to prevent thefts from the factory.
5. There are no Soviet technicians at the factory, but  two Czechoslovak technicians  were supervising work.

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## APPENDIX: The Beloslav Glass and Porcelain Factory



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